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Remarks

Pursuant to a telephone call from Examiner Simon Nguyen on June 15, 2005, wherein Examiner Nguyen stated that the application was allowable but for the outstanding double patenting rejection asserted in the Office Action mailed September 3, 2004, a terminal disclaimer for US patent no. 6,377,783 is submitted herewith. Withdrawal of the double patenting rejection is therefore respectfully requested.

In light of the above discussion, Applicant respectfully submits that the present application is in all aspects in allowable condition, and earnestly solicits favorable reconsideration and early issuance of a Notice of Allowance.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (202) 220-4323 to discuss any matter concerning this application. The Office is authorized to charge any fees related to this communication to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted.

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